Instruction to shortlisted candidates

Documents to be presented at the time of interview:

1. A printout of the call letter
2. Original government issued identity card containing your photo (photocopies will not be accepted).
3. Original degree and mark certificates of all qualifying examinations
4. Score Card of GATE/CEED/Other National Level Examination (if applicable)
5. OBC (Non-creamLayer) / SC / ST / PH certificate (if applicable). (Please see http://www.ncbc.nic.in for details about OBC and Non-creamlayer)
6. If you are presently employed, then you should produce a no objection certificate at the time of the interview. If you have applied under the sponsored scheme, kindly bring a sponsorship certificate from your parent institute/organization, in original.
7. Additionally, required documents as applicable

Accommodation

How to reach IIT Kanpur
IIT Kanpur is located off the Grand Trunk Road near Kalyanpur, about 16 km west of Kanpur city.

From Kanpur Central Railway Station (CNB): IIT Kanpur is located at a distance of about 16 km from the Kanpur Central Railway Station. It is possible to hire taxi (between Rs. 350/- and 450/-, depending on the vehicle used) and auto rickshaw (about Rs. 250/-300/-) from the station to reach IITK Campus. Remember to exit through Platform No. 1 to hire a taxi/auto rickshaw.

From the city side of the station (Platform No. 9), you may get a shared auto rickshaw/ Vikram (tempo) up to Kalyanpur for about Rs. 20/- and then travel by a tempo to I.I.T. Gate for about Rs. 5/- per head. From the I.I.T. Gate you may again take a cycle rickshaw or E-rickshaw into the Campus at Rs. 10/- to Rs. 20/-. 

From Lucknow Airport (LKO): Lucknow airport is located about 80 km from IIT Kanpur. You can hire pre-paid taxis at the airport. It takes about two hours to drive from Lucknow airport to IITK campus.

From Kanpur Airport (KNU): The Kanpur Airport, also known as the Chakeri Air Force Station is located at a distance of about 10 km from the nearest railway station. The airport is connected with the city by bus and taxi service, car and rental service is also available.

Travel Reimbursement: All SC/ST, PWD category candidates called for interview will be reimbursed as per GoI norms when they report for the interview. This payment would also require information regarding the ticket numbers and original tickets.
FAQs for Ph.D. Admissions

Q. Can the dates of written-test/interview be changed?
A: The dates for Ph.D. written-test/interviews cannot be changed.

Q. My name appears in the list of shortlisted candidates available on the website but I have not received any email.
A: It may be possible that your email account has a spam filter or other email blocking applications. Please check, and if it is not the case, write to us at pace@iitk.ac.in with the following details: application number, name, category and specializations for which you have been shortlisted but not received email.

Q. How to book an accommodation?
Please visit the link given before.

Q. How to reach the examination venue?
A: You have to report at Civil Engineering Department Office, Room No. FB-320 of the Faculty Building. In case of doubt, please clarify directions from security guards of IIT Kanpur. These guards are present near road junctions and at entrances of buildings.

Q. Can I be late for the written test/interview?
A: No. Please strictly follow the reporting time mentioned in your call letter. Being late to report during the written examination/interview may lead to your disqualification.

Q. When will the results be informed to me?
A: Usually, it takes about 2-3 weeks after the completion of written test/interview to complete all the procedures and send the offer letter for admission. Offer letters are sent by email, where all details about the acceptance of offers are provided.

Q. Can I get travel reimbursement?
A: See text under Travel reimbursement.